CHAPTER 364.

An act to require the owners of real estate along the waters of Buffalo creek, in Cleveland county, to clean out the channels of said creek.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to fell or in Unlawful to obany way place any tree, brush or other obstruction calculated to creek, Cleveland impede the flow of waters, in the channels of Buffalo creek, in Cleve-county. land county, or to let any such obstruction remain that may be there in the channels, or on the banks of said creek, it shall be unlawful; and each and every real estate owner along the waters of said creek Duty of real from the South Carolina line up the said stream to a point known as Stroup's mills, are hereby required to keep all such impediments removed from the channels of said stream.

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estate owners.

SEC. 2. That any person violating the provisions of this act shall Misdemeanor. be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars, nor imprisoned more than thirty days, at the discretion of the court.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in force from and after the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Ratified the 11th day of March, A. D. 1889.

CHAPTER 365.

An act to amend chapter 266, laws of 1881, relative to the protection of the agricultural interest in Perquimans county.

WHEREAS, The fund provided for in section two, chapter 266, of Preamble. the laws of 1881, entitled an act to protect the agricultural interest of Durant's Neck, is insufficient to keep the stock from other parts of Perquimans county from straying into Durant's Neck; now, therefore,

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That the board of commissioners of Perquimans county Commissioners shall, on the first Monday in May, one thousand and eight hundred authorized to let out the building and eighty-nine, let out at the court-house door in said county to the and keeping of additional forces. lowest bidder a contract to construct a good and lawful fence, begin- to fence provided ning at Muddy creek flats and extending along the ditch from Muddy laws 1881. creek to deep water in Perquimans river, a distance of about eight hundred yards, and to keep said fence for the balance of the year

additional fence